

## What is the Walking Club.....

The Walking Club is a program that promotes community wide walking. The walking club makes exercise accessible, fun and no longer intimidating for all men and women residents regardless of their existing level of fitness. The goal is to build a healthy community. This program is for all ages. This year all walking sessions will be guided by an instructor who will also provide helpful hints and tips to better health. Saturdays are free days where participants walk where they want. During each session, participants will have their walking time and distances recorded in order to earn incentive prizes at the end of the program. Each session will feature information on improving your health. This will provide a great incentive for you to get healthy while walking on predetermined courses throughout Murray City. You can register anytime for the program.

Dates: May 19 to August 30

Guided Walks Mondays 6-7 pm & Wednesdays 6-7 pm, Days:

Guided Walks Tuesday & Thursdays 9-10 am Unguided Saturday mornings 9-10:30am

Cost: \$25 per person, (Includes

Name

T-shirt, Water bottle and Pedometer)

Register: Murray Parks and Recreation 296 East Murray Park Avenue, The Park Center 202 East Murray Park Avenue or online at www.mcreg.com with a pin number and barcode. These can be obtained by calling the Recreation office at 801 264-2614!

## 20 Benefits Of Walking

- Helps with weight management
- It's accessible to everyone
- Doesn't require special equipment
- One of the easiest ways to get more active
- Reduces symptoms of depression and anxiety
- It's a low impact exercise
- Lowers low-density lipoprotein (LDL) cholesterol (the "bad" cholesterol)
- Raises high-density lipoprotein (HDL) cholesterol (the "good" cholesterol)
- Lowers blood pressure
- 10. Reduces the risk of some cancers
- 11. Helps reduce risk and aids with the management of type 2 diabetes
- 12. Improves mood
- 13. Helps maintain strong bones
- 14. Reduces the risk of heart attack
- 15. Less likely to lead to injuries
- 16. Reduces stress
- 17. Reduces risk of heart disease
- 18. You don't have to pay for it
- 19. Builds aerobic fitness
- 20. Helps maintain lean muscle tissue

## Features of the Walking Club...

- Weekly walks on five predesigned courses with mileage throughout the Murray City Parks system.
- Determine your step stride and how many of your steps constitutes a mile.
- Tips and motivation
- Opportunities to meet new people and social inter-
- Body measurements to check progress
- Tracking weekly progress.
- Free clinics and seminars geared for improving your health and fitness

## Walking Club Registration (one form per person) 296 East Murray Park Avenue, Murray, UT 84107

| Name  | Phone  | Adult/Youth ( Please circle One)   |  |
|---|--|--|--|
| Address   | Zip Code   |  |  |
| If youth, please complete Mother and Father information   |  |  |  |
| Mother's Name   | Phone  | Cel Phone  |  |
| Father's Name   | Phone  | Cel Phone  |  |
| Email   |  |  |  |
| <b>Γ-Shirt Size: (Please select your size)</b> YSYMYL   | ASAMAL _   | _AXLAXXLAXXXL  |  |
| for damages for death, personal injury, or property<br>participation in said event. It is understood that so<br>knowing those risks, I hereby assume those risks. | on for the above activity,<br>y damage which my child<br>me recreational activities<br>It is further understood an | I hereby waive, release, and discharge any and all claims may have, or which may hereafter accrue as a result of involve an element of risk or danger of accidents, and ad agreed that this waiver, release, and assumption of risk regoing registration, liability release, and agree to all of    Date Stuff |  |
| Participants/Parent/Guardian Signature  | Date   | CKCC Cash  |  |